

Puerto Pickings

Correspondence:

As I was tardy last week, I will try and give you a few facts from here.

It is getting too dry for the farmers to plow, so they are now fencing and otherwise improving their claims.

We have a class of industrious farmers here who realize that even if they can't plow at times they can do other work on the farm.

Some of our people will put out fruit trees this spring.

E. S. Gholson is building a house on his place on the plains. Maywold and Sleith are doing the work.

John McCain, C. Griggs, A. T. Locklear, Oscar Locklear, W. D. Newberry, Jack Bracharo, Frank Bond, J. H. Nix, Will Rush and several others went to Tucumcari this week after lumber, supplies and on general business.

The grass is beginning to grow some. Those not used to cuckleburs had better watch their cows, for when they make their first appearance in the spring, they are a deadly poison to cows, sheep and hogs.

Bird Ellis, who has been employed by the E. P. & S. W. railroad, has moved back on his claim.

Mr. Miller of Okla., is a late settler near Puerto. He sent two wagons to town after lumber, Monday.

J. T. Bristow and family spent Sunday with George Yates and family.

The election was pulled off very smooth last Saturday, Will Rush being elected by 30 votes.

Sam Eddleman is digging a well on his place. He struck plenty of water at a depth of 45 feet.

W. D. Newberry is getting his mill up in shape for business, and in a few days will be able to grind out meal and chops.

Some of our people are talking of planting cotton this year.

We would like to see the people of Puerto Valley try a diversification of crops this year.

Mr. Morton was here in these parts figuring out the distance to Puerto. He will probably establish a store five miles north of here, and will ask the government for a post office. We welcome him as a neighbor.

Leslie Bates and wife were in Puerto last Saturday.

Rev. W. W. Turner passed through Puerto, Monday on his way home from Endee.

Santiago Garcia died at his home on February 24th, of appendicitis, having been sick only twelve hours. He was a very influential man, having many friends both among Mexicans and Americans.

BEAR GRASS.

Five pairs good Shoe Strings, 5c.—T. A. Muirhead & Co.

Two dozen Pearl Buttons, 5c.—T. A. Muirhead & Co.

Homestead Entry No. 6431.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Clayton, New Mexico, March 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Scott of Quay County, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 6431 made Oct. 12, 1905, for the sw-1-4 Sec. 4 Twp. 8 n range 30 e, and that said proof will be made before Theo. W. Heman, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Tucumcari, N. M., on April 19, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

G. L. Lee of Quay, N. M.
C. F. Gholson " "
H. L. Honeycutt " "
J. B. Moody " "
21-6t EDWARD W. FOX, Register.

Homestead Entry No. 2345.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Clayton, N. M., March 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Maximiliano Tafoya, of Tucumcari, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 2345, made Aug. 18 1900, for the sw-1-4 Sec. 1 Twp. 8 n range 31 e w-2 sw-4 nw-4 Sec. 6 Twp. 8 n range 32 e, and that said proof will be made before R. P. Donohoo, Probate Clerk of Quay County, at his office in Tucumcari, N. M. on April 18, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Santiago Garcia Herrerra of Puerto, N. M.
Onecino Salazar " "
Ricardo Lujan " "
Florencio Crespin " "
21-6t EDWARD W. FOX, Register.

Homestead Entry No. 8352.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Clayton, N. M., March 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Garrett V. Spinks of Montoya, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 8352, made May 9, 1906, for the ne-1-4 Sec. 19, twp 9 n range 28 e, and that said proof will be made before R. P. Donohoo, Probate Clerk of Quay County, at his office in Tucumcari, N. M. on April 18, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

R. J. Darnell of Montoya, N. M.
J. C. Bryan " "
J. W. Elliott of Quay, " "
S. R. Hendren of Montoya, N. M.
21-6t EDWARD W. FOX, Register.

Homestead Entry No. 6377.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Clayton, N. M., March 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Stanford Rose of Tucumcari, New Mexico has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim viz: Homestead Entry No. 6377 made Oct. 2, 1905, for the E-1-2 nw-1-4, lots 1 and 2, Sec. 30, twp 10 n range 32 e, and that said proof will be made before R. L. Patterson, Probate Judge of Quay County, at his office in Tucumcari, N. M., on April 18, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz,

O. M. Reynolds of Tucumcari, N. M.
I. C. Myers " "
John Volentine " "
Albert Volentine " "
21-6t EDWARD W. FOX, Register.

Homestead Entry No. 6845.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Clayton, N. M., March 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Elizabeth Barnes of Loyd, New Mexico has filed notice of her intention to make final commutation proof in support of her claim viz: Homestead Entry No. 6845, made July 8, 1906, for the sw-1-4 Sec. 2, twp 9 n range 31 e, and that said proof will be made before R. P. Donohoo, Probate Clerk of Quay County, at his office in Tucumcari, N. M., on April 19, 1907.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz:

C. H. Horning of Loyd, N. M.
C. R. Eell " "
C. M. Shepard of Tucumcari, N. M.
I. C. Marrs " "
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